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Part B for May 33.

SUBJECT.

Delegation of Additional Powers to Meerzai ~~Extra Asst~~ Officers

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To 20 The Mly Comm
" Revr Comm
" Comptroller
" Dy Comrs of Dists
" Other Heads of Departments

No 1568-617 of 8-5-33

Delegates certain additional

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Extract from the Proceedings of meeting of the Secretaries held on 8th Dec 1932.

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Delegation to Heads of Depts of certain powers now vested with Govt :- (Paras 195 to 211)

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(d) Decentralisation of work in particular departments — Education, Muzrai, Excise & L.S. Bor of the G.R.S.

Resolution :-

These may be examined in detail by the Branches in consultation with the Heads of Depts -

Passed to the Hons: Bor with compliments for necessary action. The Extracts pertaining to the Hons: Bor have been given to Mr. Chowdiah for reference in connection with the meeting of the 8th ultimo.

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Extract from the Proceedings of meeting of the Secretaries held on 6th December 1932:-

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Subject:-

Delegation of Heads of Departments of certain powers now vested with Government:- (Paras 195 to 211).

(a) Under the Myore Service Regulations, hancement of powers re making appointments, grant of leave, retirement;

(b) Under the Account Code, additional pow about incurring expenditure in routine matte powers of re-appropriation, of writing off - losses.

(c) Abolition of reduction of unnecessary turns.

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Extract from Special Officer's Report -

Part II.

General and Revenue Secretariat.

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195. The decentralisation that I would propose, to reduce work, falls under the following broad heads:-

(1) Enhancement of powers under the Mysore Service Regulations in the matter of appointment, grant of leave, retirement etc.

(2) Additional powers under the Account Code, in the matter of incurring expenditure in routine matters.

(3) Greater freedom in internal administration with a view to facilitate business and reduce correspondence.

(4) Abolition or reduction of unnecessary returns &c.

Delegation of powers under the Mysore Service Regulations.

196. It was in 1922 (vide Government Order No.Fl.1181-230/G.F. 11-22-1 dated 30th August 1922) that a general enhancement of powers to the Heads of Departments was sanctioned for minimising correspondence and hastening the despatch of public business. Though further delegations have been made to some or all of them in subsequent years they have been limited in scope. I would suggest that a general review of the powers of the major Heads of Departments may be made so as to permit them to exercise enhanced powers in some or all of the following matters.

197. Re. Powers of appointment. Article 52 A.M.S.R. requires that all appointments and promotions whether permanent, temporary or officiating to posts carrying salaries fixed at or above or progressing to or above Rs.100/- should be reported to Government. As regards permanent appointments enhanced powers have been sanctioned in favour of a few particular Heads of Departments. The High Court is empowered to appoint all ministerial Officers with the exception of the Registrar and the Deputy Registrar. The Revenue Commissioner is competent to appoint District Sheristedars, Head Clerks and all the ministerial Officers of his Office, and the Director of Public Instruction is authorised to make all appointments, the maximum salary of which does not exceed Rs.125/-

Regarding acting appointments permission is given to the University to make acting arrangements among non-gazetted Officers of the Ministerial establishment, while the Director of Public Instruction is empowered to make temporary or acting arrangements to fill up vacancies due to the grant of leave to non-gazetted Officers, provided that the period for which such arrangements are made in respect of Officers on Rs.125/- and above does not exceed 6 months. I would suggest that the limit of Rs.100/- specified in Art.52. may be raised to Rs.150/- and that all Heads of Departments specified in Appendix (R) may also be empowered to temporarily fill up vacancies for a period not exceeding 6 months of non-gazetted Officers whose appointments would otherwise require the sanction of Government, the arrangements made being reported to Government in monthly instalments.

It will also considerably minimise work all round if in certain big Departments like the University, Education, Judicial, Public Works and the Accounts where the need exists for entertainment of temporary staff for short periods the Heads of the Departments concerned be empowered to create new appointments on pay not exceeding Rs.50/- for periods not exceeding a year subject to provision being made therefor and the grants placed at their disposal not being exceeded.

The Inspector-General of Registration whose powers of appointment are now limited to Sub Registrars of the Second Grade may be empowered to make appointments in the 1st Grade also.

198. I would also suggest that the powers of extension and retirement be made co-extensive with those of appointment.

General instructions may however be issued in regard to the exercise of the power granting extensions so that the policy laid down by Government may be adhered to by all Officers. One of the principles to be laid down may be that promotions whether permanent or temporary may not ordinarily be given to Officers under extension - since the grant of extension may itself be considered a concession in

in these days of unemployment of a large body of educated men.

This suggestion follows the ruling in Bombay Civil Rules Manual Para 165 which reads as follows:-

"Without the previous sanction of Government no promotion, - whether acting or substantive, in a permanent or temporary establishment should be given to a Government servant who is under extension. This order does not debar such a Government servant from earning an increment, if the pay of the appointment held by him is on a time - scale, and does not apply to a Government servant the pay of whose appointment is enhanced, e.g. as part of a scheme".

199. Under the existing rules the Major Heads of Departments are permitted to sanction journeys to non-gazetted Officers outside the State but such cases are generally coming up to Government with recommendations for special allownaces in accordance with precedents-. already sanctioned. It would be desirable to frame general rules for the guidance of all Officers and the Audit Office with a view to such journeys being regulated by the Heads of Departments within - reasonable limits without further reference to Government.

200. Applications for condoning interruptions and deficiency in service under Articles 288 and 289 M.S.R. are numerous. The Comptrol-t ler is empowered to sanction pension to non-gazetted Officers on the recommendation of Heads of Departments. It would generally be conducive to expeditious disposal of pension cases if some decentralisation of powers is sanctioned somewhat on the lines in force in British India. There the Heads of Departments competent to sanction pensions may condone deficiency in service not exccedingthree months.

I would suggest that the Heads of Departments specified in Appendix R may be authorised to condone interruptions in service not - exceeding one year under Art.288 and deficiency in service not exceeding three months under Art.289 in consultation with the Comptroller in clear cases, where no violation of the standing rules or orders is involved.

201. Grant of the following powers under the M.S.R. may also be considered:-

The limit of Rs.50/- sanctioned in Art.51 (c) up to which - Heads of Departments may permit their non-gazetted subordinates to accept honorarium may be raised to Rs.200/-

Provisional appointments may be authorised to be made by - appointing authorities within the rules of Art.60 M.S.R.

As provided in note 2 to Art. 90A.M.S.R. Heads of Departments specified in M.S.R. may be empowered to ~~decide~~ decide that the time spent in training will count as service qualifying for increments of pay.

When an Officer placed in charge of the current duties of a Officer to which fixed T.A. local or duty allowance is attached, he is not entitled to claim it except under the Special Orders of - Government. This power may be delegated to Heads of Departments, - when they are competent to make in charge arrangements.

There appears to be no objection to Heads of Departments - being authorised under Art.364 M.S.R. to sanction the re-entertainmen of persons who have retired from non-gazetted service in bona fide - temporary employment lasting for not more than a year, without ~~xxxxx~~ loss of pension.

Delegation under Account Rules.

202. Under existing orders, vide Art.11 (b) Heads of Departments are authorised to sanction the investigation of claims of all Officers appointed by them. This rule may be extended to cover the case of all non-gazetted Officers.

Belated claims should of course be discouraged and as the audit registers will be destroyed after 6 years, the genuineness of very old claims will have to be proved by independent evidence. In exceptional cases, when claims of more than 5 years ~~have~~ have to be passed sanction of Government may continue to be applied for. Arrea

Arrear claims of Gazetted Officers are not many and no change in th treatment of such claims is called for.

203. As regards arrear claims of travelling allowance, there is a rule recently passed on the suggestion of the Comptroller, that claims accruing before March and not preferred before the end of th year should be subject to sanction of Government. This has led to unnecessary correspondence. Unless the continuance of this rule is required as an emergency measure I would suggest that its operation be limited to the case of gazetted Officers only. Heads of Departments may be empowered to sanction the investigation of claims of the non-gazetted establishment subordinate to them if the expenditu could be met within the sanctioned grants of the year.

204. In regard to incurring contingent expenditure, the effective control should be over the budget grants and subject to such limitations the Heads of Departments may be given some enhanced power to minimise correspondence. The following proposals may be considered:-

(1) Power of purchasing articles of furniture &c, up to a price limit of Rs.100/- for each item may be granted subject to Store Purchase rules and within the budget grant. At present disbursing Officers are authorised to purchase articles of value not exceeding Rs.25/- (page 96 M.C.A.C. Vol.I App.and Forms). Some Officers like the Director of Agriculture and the Chief Commandant being permitted to purchase up to a limit of Rs.100/-. The general extension of the higher power is suggested.

(2) The limit for the purchase of stationery articles locally is fixed at Rs.20/-. There appears to be no objection to extend it up to a limit of Rs.50/-.

(3) General sanction may be accorded to Heads of Departments to incur contingent charges of a recurring nature up to Rs.20/-per mensem for each item and for not more than a period of two years. (Under Art.III Note 2, the present limit is Rs.10/-).

In respect of rent charges, however, the limit may be raised to Rs. 100/- per mensem on the strength of a certificate by the Executive Engineer of the Division to the effect that no Government building is available and that the rent fixed is reasonable.

(4) Permission to subscribe for periodicals and journals to the extent of Rs. 200/- per annum within budget limit may be granted.

205. The powers of reappropriation granted to Heads of Departments (Vide Art. 284 M.A.C. Vol. I) are confined to grants for contingencies only.

Certain Major Heads of Departments are empowered to sanction reappropriation of grants in the departmental budgets under Contingencies (including special charges) and travelling allowances between detailed heads within a minor head up to a limit of Rs.2000/- (which shall be the maximum amount that can be transferred ~~to~~ in the financial year).

A large number of references is coming up to Government for reappropriation of a more or less formal nature and the according of sanction to them increases work all round. If it is considered that extension of the powers of reappropriation will not slacken financial control and that greater reliance on the sense of responsibility of the various units of the Administration will not defeat the object in view, the powers of Heads of Departments may be suitably enhanced.

206. Heads of Departments may be empowered to write off losses or irrecoverable loans or unserviceable and unsaleable stores articles up to Rs. 200/- subject to a quarterly or half yearly statement of such items being submitted to Government for information, if considered necessary.

207. The power of transferring Gazetted Officers now vests with Government. In respect of proposals received from certain departments like those relating to Munsiffs from the High Court, the approval of Government is more or less formal. The necessary delega-

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delegation may be made. Similarly the transfer of an Assistant Comptroller from Bangalore to Mysore or vice versa is a matter which may rest with the Comptroller.

Special powers in respect of certain Heads of Departments.

208. Besides the general powers of delegation above referred to which are applicable to all departments, there are cases where work could be reduced by decentralisation in particular departments. It is not possible for me to go into this subject in any detail and I content myself to note a few cases as illustrative of my view.

Taking for example, the Department of Public Instruction, the Director has to obtain the sanction of Government in such matters as the transfer wholly or in part of the provision of rent from one school to another, or the temporary transfer of a teacher's post from one school to another.

A number of references on matters of more or less of a routine nature are being received from the Excise Commissioner regarding the appointment of members to Excise Licensing Boards, from the Muzrai Commissioner regarding appointments of Dharmadarsis to Major Institutions, for which he is authorised to sanction scales of expenditure, reports of thefts of properties of small value &c.

209. The impression that I have formed from an examination of the work in the L.S.G. Branch is that there is considerable scope for reduction of work here by decentralisation. I understand that the references dealt with in this Branch are mostly received in accordance with statutory provisions and that legislation would probably be necessary to make substantial changes in the present scheme of work. It is not possible for me within the limited time at my disposal to make a detailed study of the subject and formulate proposals for changing methods of work or economising labour. Possibly the enactment of the new Municipal Bills, now before the Legislature may lead to decentralisation and reduction of work in the Secretariat.

I note also that Government have in their order No. L.5506-64 dated

dated 11-2-1932 given powers to the Deputy Commissioners of Districts to sanction, within the limits prescribed, certain expenditure relating to Town and Minor Municipal Councils. But I venture to think that within the limits of the law now in force, it would be desirable to relieve the Secretariat of much routine matter, which it is now expected to handle.

For instance the Municipal Account Manual contains rules requiring references to Government in several matters more or less of routine character, the modification of which might well be taken up with advantage.

In regard to Audit objection that are coming up to Government, it is for consideration if the Deputy Commissioners cannot be given enhanced powers of sanctioning subject to certain limits, expenditure objected to in audit on obtaining satisfactory explanation from the Municipal Councils concerned.

The question of delegating the power of sanctioning some items of expenditure to District Boards or Deputy Commissioners, as in the case of Municipal Councils under the Government order of 11th Feb. 1932, may be considered, as by this means some references for sanction of small items of expenditure &c. now coming up to Government may be dispensed with. This may perhaps be done under the general rule making power in section 100 of the Regulation.

Under the Village Panchayet Amendment Regulation VII of 1931, the Revenue Commissioner has been appointed as the Chief Controlling Authority in respect of all matters relating to the administration of Panchayets, and Government have reserved power to delegate to the Revenue Commissioner any of their powers under the Regulation except those under Sections 37 and 45.

I understand that the question of delegating the powers of Government to the Revenue Commissioner under the said enabling provision has been taken up for consideration. If early orders issue there will be some relief to the Secretariat.

By far the largest number of references dealt with in the Branch relate to acquisition of land required for Municipalities and Village Panchayets. These references are dealt with in the two stages of

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eliminary Notification and final declaration as required by the statute.

It would save correspondence apparently if it were possible to delegate to Deputy Commissioners or other higher authorities the power of making preliminary Notification of proposed acquisition, Government retaining only the power of making final declarations. This however involves amendment of the Land Acquisition Regulation and I content myself in raising the point ~~ax~~ for the consideration of Government.

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9. Heads of Departments like the Inspector General of Police and the Excise Commissioner may be empowered to incur expenditure up to Rs. 250/- in respect of rewards and secret service charges.

10. The Excise Commissioner may be permitted to notify members to the Excise Licensing Boards at all places except at Bangalore and Mysore Cities and the Kolar Gold Fields.

211. I am of opinion that there is scope for reduction of work by the elimination of unnecessary returns. Some suggestions are offered in this connection.

No. 29/28

I. The following returns may be discontinued:-

1. Yearly statements of appointments of overaged persons as appointments are made in consultation with C.R.B.

2. Monthly list of references pending with Government.

3. Monthly accounts of liquor and ganja transported and the expenditure incurred in the several Depots (Excise Commr.)

4. Statement showing the progress made in the payment of Excise Revenue to the Inamdars (Excise Commr.)

5. Statement showing the details of appeal work done since the appeal work will be reviewed monthly by Government in the progress report and annually in the administration report (Income-tax Commr.)

6. Report to Government in case of fire accidents (I.G. of Police

It will do if the Deputy Commissioners continue to submit such reports.

II. The following monthly return may be made ~~quarterly~~ ~~half-yearly~~ half-yearly:

Progress made in the disposal of Darkhasths received from members of depressed (Revenue Commr.)

III. The following monthly return may be made quarterly:

Review on the progress report of Assessment and Collection of Income-tax and super tax in the State. (Commr. of I-Tax)

IV. The following quarterly returns may be made half-yearly:

1. Statement showing the decrees obtained in favour of Government and the amounts due thereunder.

2. Progress made in the destruction and sorting of records in the Revenue Offices (Rev. Commr.)

3. Progress made in the disposal of applications for permission to construct Anes and investigation into the origin of existing ones &c. (Rev. Commr.)

4. Statement of progress made in the execution of decrees of Co operative Societies (Rev. Commr.)

5. Progress statement of Irrigation works (Rev. Commr.)

6. Report of date groves surrendered to Revenue Department (R.C.

7. Statement of Darkhasths (Rev. Commr.)

8. Review of progress made in land acquisition work.

9. Review of private chatrams endowed within Inam lands (Inv.Com

10. Statement of cattles sold (Director of Agriculture)

V. The following quarterly returns may be made annual:

1. Review on the progress made in the collection of Institution fees due to Govt. in pauper suits (Commr. of Stamps)

2. List of publications of the Oriental Library (Univ.)

VI. The following half yearly statement may be made annual:

1. Statement of dismissals of Government servants.
2. Reports relating to type-writers.
3. Statement relating to Loan Scholarships and Advances.
4. Statement of grants of lands to Primary Schools in Rural areas for school gardens (Rev. Commr.)
5. Report of the working of the Excise Licensing Boards (EGC.
6. ~~Report of the working of the~~ Statement of Mineral Licenses and leases. (Geological Department)
7. Consolidated cattle mortality statement (Director of Agri.)
8. Demand, Collection and Balance statement of woollens (Chief Commandant).

Dy no. 29/2817

OFFICE OF THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER,
IN MYSORE

Bangalore....2nd July.....*193*2.

2 Encl
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Correspondence
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Sir,

As desired in your D.O. letter No.Spl.4-22 dated 1st inst, I note in the margin, information re. volume of correspondence between this office and Government i.e., No. of communications sent to Government and those received from Government during each of the 2 years 1930-31 and 1931-32.

r.	No.of communications. From this Office.	From Govt
30-31 ..	996	1461
31-32 ..	856	1054

A statement of returns required to be submitted to Government is also appended.

Yours sincerely,

Rajasevaparayana
B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Financial Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
(on Special Duty.)

Statement of returns required to be submitted to Government.

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1. Progress made in the disposal of Dewan's Tour subjects. Monthly
2. Review of Private Chattrams endowed with Inam lands. Quarterly may be made half yearly
3. Quarterly statement (B) showing details of alienations of Inam lands &c
4. Progress report on the realisations of outstanding arrears in Kurigal and Kaggalipura villages. (Quarterly)
5. Brief Report of Work done in the Muzrai Department. Half yearly
6. Statement of Dismissals. This is proposed to be made annual.
7. List of Muzrai Institutions requiring help from State Grant for -- repairs or renovation. Annual
8. Muzrai Administration Report with statistical statements. Annual

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For Muzrai Commissioner.

File No. of 193

accepted

Submitted with a typed statement of ~~powers~~ to be delegated to the Mazrai Commissioner.

~~A~~ The Superintending Engineer's powers are to sanction original works and repairs up

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to Rs 4000 (Correction slip no 11 on page 300 of the P.W. account code. But it would appear recently it has been decided to give him the powers of the Chief Engineer viz Rs 5000/- until the powers of the latter are enhanced further. So the Muz. Commissioner may perhaps be empowered to sanction estimates up to Rs 5000/-

Whether any modification in the ~~date~~ submission of ~~dates~~ returns (as detailed in the enclosure to P.W.D) is to be proposed is for orders.

In the matter of the report the delegation of powers or modification to the ~~se~~ dates of submission of reports that would be common to all Heads of Departments will be ~~mentioned~~ detailed in one group and those which are special to individual Departmental Heads will be detailed under each Head. This is for approval.

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222. Muzrai Branch. The average number of references received and disposed of monthly in the Muzrai Branch is about 130. The branch consists of a Superintendent and 4 clerks, two of whom are case workers.

I believe that the routinework in this branch may be substantially reduced by decentralisation and also by the formation of a general issue branch proposed elsewhere. Under the rules issued under the Muzrai Regulation of 1927 and several orders passed since, powers that previously vested in Government have been decentralised. But there is still scope for further transfer of items of work of more or less routine nature to the Muzrai Commissioner.

If the suggestions commend themselves to Government, there is no need to have a separate Superintendent. I have proposed (Vide para 217 supra) that the Superintendent of the C.R.B. may look after the work of this branch in addition to his work. If this proposal does not meet with approval, the Muzrai and the Financial Branches may be supervised by a single Superintendent, the integrity of the two branches being however maintained.

During the budget season some special help will be necessary and that may be easily arranged for without much extra cost.

210. The following specified proposals may be examined:-

Enhancement of powers to Muzrai Commissioners.

(1) The limit of sanctioning estimates for construction and repairs of Muzrai Institutions may be raised from Rs.2500/- to Rs.4,000/- as in the case of Superintending Engineers.

(2) He may be empowered to appoint Dharmadarsis for all Muzrai Institutions excepting Scheduled Institutions.

(3) He may sanction allotment of funds from the State and General Muzrai Fund grant for repairs etc., of institutions to the extent of Rs.500/-.

(4) He may deal with reports of thefts in all Major and Minor Institutions when the value of property lost does not exceed Rs.200/- reports of thefts in scheduled institutions irrespective of value being submitted to Government.

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(6) He may transfer the control of Village Muzrai Institutions to Village Panchayets.

(7) He may sanction reappropriation of Departmental grants (both major and minor heads) up to a limit of Rs.500/-

(8) He may accord sanction to the proposal of Deputy Commissioners for construction of new places of worship when there is no objection from any quarter.

1) Draft letter for favour of issue of instructions as per the decision is given for approval.

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Issued Memo 9053/6 17/32 Copy as revised for submit the same to the Govt for signature.

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2	D.O. letter No 606 dated the 8th Dec 1932 from the Finance Member forwarding his opinion on the recommendations of the Financial Secretary on special duty about the delegation of powers of disposal by Imperial officers & making certain proposals about the delegation of some further powers to Dy Commrs &c.
	Submitted for orders with a copy of the Reforms Chapter. Endorsements Regulations and the Collection of certain rules for disposal of Secretariat cases.
	C.E. Dr 13/12/32
	4. It was in connection with the Secretariat's meeting that this file was called for. The Hon'ble has taken this opportunity to express his views re the delegation of powers. What decision has been arrived at in the Secys meeting is not known. This will be put up again if the Hon'ble Secy desires it being done for the next meeting of the Secretariat.
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	(for Secy) The Secretary's meeting

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suggested that Concerned Branches should take up the question of Redistribution of work and decentralisation of powers. The Branch will note on the feasibility or of the various proposals now under consideration - suggested by the Special Officer & those by the M.C. and examine them on their merits so that orders may be passed on them -

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All the proposals have been embodied in a single statement to facilitate disposal.

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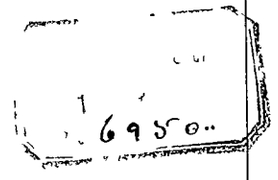

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G.O. No. 1538-617 of 8/5/33 delegating additional powers to the M.C.s & D.C's.
Letter No. 1618 of 8/5/33 to the M.C. calling for proposals to modify rule 6 of the rules under the M.R.C. & Regln. VII of 1927.

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Diary No. of letter replied to ..... No. 903 Ensure

Dear Sir,

I am directed to
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Date of issue 9/12/32

Signed by Shamanna

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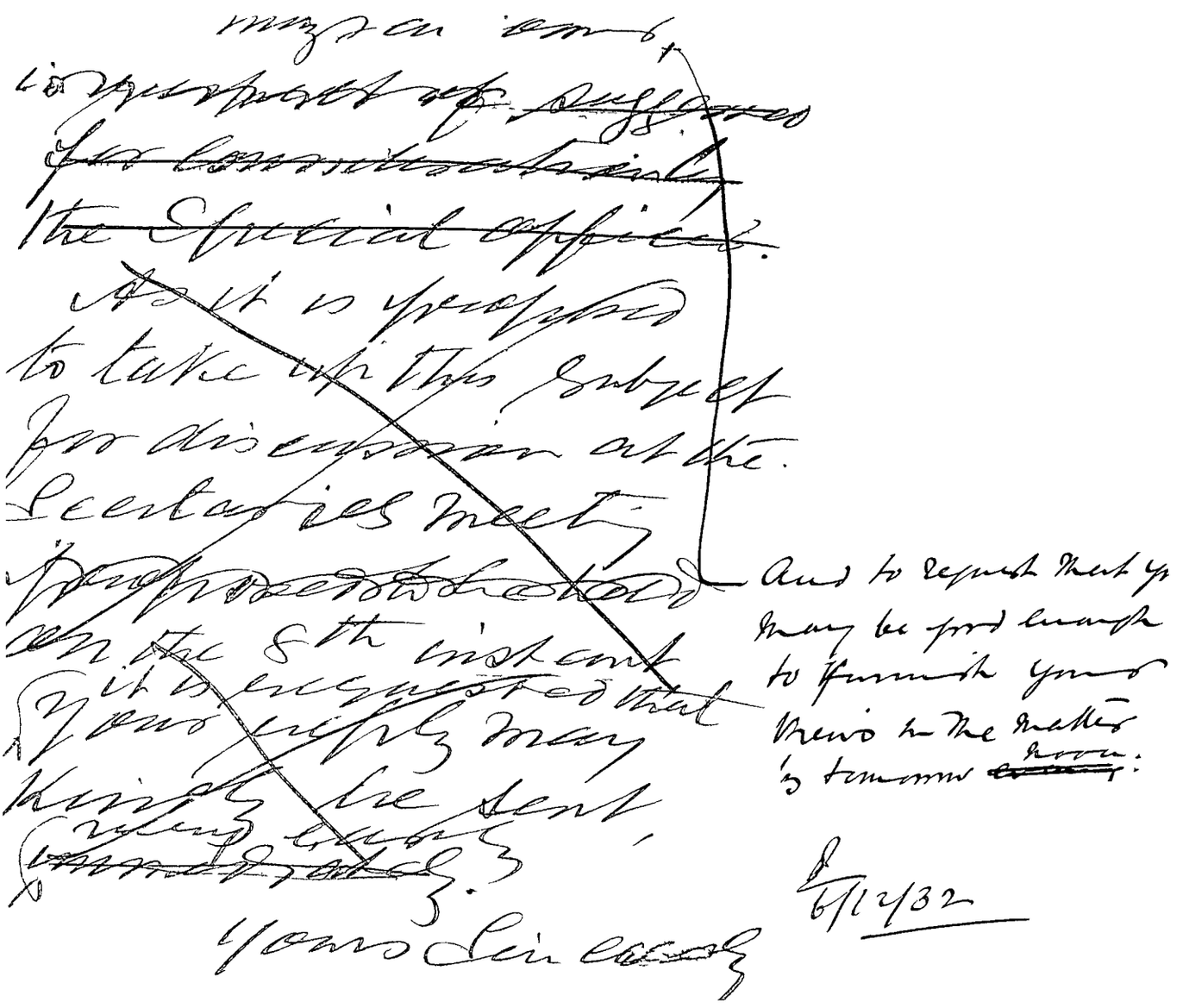

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the Special Officers.

And it is proposed
to take up this subject
for discussion at the
Secretaries Meeting
to be held on
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and to request that you
may be good enough
to furnish your
views in the matter
by tomorrow noon.

6/12/32

I am
Yours Sincerely

To
The Mayor Corporation
Dublin.

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(8) He may accord sanction to the proposal of Deputy Commissio ers for construction of new places of worship when there is no obje tion from any quarter.

D.O. No. 606
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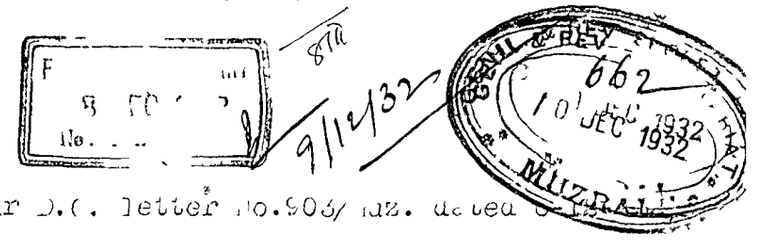
OFFICE OF THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE

Dated Bangalore,...2nd...December.....1932



9/12/32

Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No.906/Muz. dated [illegible] I write to state that the additional powers suggested by Mr. P. Srinivasa Iyengar may with one exception be advantageously delegated to the Muzrai Commissioner with the ~~following~~ under-mentioned modification. Power to appoint Dharmadarsis for all Muzrai institutions except the scheduled ones is already vested in the Muzrai Commissioner under Rule 5 (5) of the Rules published in Notification No.1467/Muz.236-'0-5 dated 22-3-'28, and I would suggest that this power which is a formal one, may except in the case of the scheduled institutions be delegated to the Deputy Commissioners, a copy of the Notification being submitted to the Muzrai Commissioner for information. The power of appointi Dharmadarsis to the scheduled institutions may be delegated to the Muzrai Commissioner - a copy of the Notification being submitted fo the information of Government. The exception that I refer to above refers to the transfer of the control of Village Muzrai institution to Village Panchayats (item 6 in the statement sent with your lette

I have no objection to the delegation of power to the Muzrai Commissioner to transfer this class of institutions to Village Panchayats, but Section 25 of the Mysore Village Panchayat Regulatic seems to declare that this power could only be exercised by Governme

2. I would take this opportunity to propose further decentralisati powers from the Muzrai Commissioner to the Deputy Commissioner in of the very heavy work now devolving ~~in~~ on his office. The follow- powers may be delegated to the Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

(1) Regulating scales of expenditure in temples on occasions of visits of His Highness the Maharaja or on other special occasions out of the funds of the institution concerned.

Acceptance of immovable endowments other than deposits coming under Charitable Endowments Rules - in favour of Muzrai and non-Muzrai institutions, a copy of the order being submitted to the Muzrai Commissioner for note for purposes of check.

(3) Leasing out of inam lands other than bagayet and coffee for a period not exceeding 10 years, and bagayet and coffee lands for a period not exceeding 30 years, in cases where the circumstances do not permit of shorter periods - cases of leases exceeding ten years being simultaneously reported to the Muzrai Commissioner.

(4) Power to sanction scales of expenditure in major institutions, a copy of the sanctioned scale being sent to the Muzrai Commissioner immediately, the scales of minor institutions being transferred similarly to Sub Division Officers.

3. I am of opinion that the delegation of the above powers to the Deputy Commissioners will facilitate the expeditious disposal of questions and minimise the scriptory work in higher offices.

Yours sincerely,

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Proceedings of the Govt. of H.

the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read:-

Extract from the report of the Special Duty Officer proposing enhancement of powers of the Amrai Commissioner in [illegible] respects.

2. Letter No.606/78-33 dated 8th May 1933 from the Amrai Commissioner in the subject.

Order No. 1568-617 / Miz 248-32-3.

Dated 8th May 33.

Government are pleased to delegate the following additional powers to the Amrai Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioners of Districts:-

I. To the Amrai Commissioner.

(i) To sanction estimates for construction and repairs of Amrai Institutions up to a limit of Rs.4000/-.

(ii) To deal with reports of thefts in all major and minor institutions when the value of property lost does not exceed Rs.200/-, reports of thefts in scheduled institutions, irrespective of value, being however, submitted to Government for orders.

(iii) To transfer loan amounts due to defunct institutions to other deserving institutions strictly in accordance with the rules when the annual income of the defunct institutions does not exceed Rs.100/-, provided the total income of the proposed institution with the added income does not exceed Rs.[illegible]

(iv) To [illegible]

up to a limit of Rs.500/-

(v) To accord sanction to the proposals of Deputy Commissioners in the case of grant of new places of worship when there is no objection from any quarter.

(vi) To sanction allotments of funds from the block grant for [illegible] grant for repairs etc., or contributions to the extent of Rs.500/-, such sanction being limited to the allotment out of the total annual grant definitely placed at his disposal.

(vii) To [illegible] to Scheduled Institutions.

II. To Deputy Commissioners of Districts:-

1. To regulate scales of expenditure in temples on occasions of the visits of His Highness the Maharaja or on other special occasions out of the funds of the institution concerned. (2) To [illegible] Pujaris' Emoluments other than deposits coming under Unenforceable Emoluments Rules in favour of Pujaris and Non-Agamic Archakas (3) To approve annual estimates of all Agamic Endowments [illegible]

14/4/33

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The Chief Judge.
" Revenue Commr.
" Secretary to Govt.
" Deputy Comms. of Districts.
" Other Heads of Departments.

S.O.

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

G. O. No. 1568-1617—Muz. 248-32-3, dated 8th May 1933.

Additional Powers.

Delegation of —— to the Muzrai Commissioner and Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

READ—

Extract from the report of Special Duty Officer, proposing enhancement of powers of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, in certain respects

Letter No. 606—32-33, dated 8th December 1932, from the Muzrai Commissioner on the subject.

ORDER NO. 1568-1617—MUZ. 248-32-3, DATED BANGALORE, THE 8TH MAY 1933.

Government are pleased to delegate the following additional powers to the Muzrai Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioners of Districts:—

I TO THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER.

(i) To sanction estimates for construction and repairs of Muzrai Institutions up to a limit of Rs 4,000.

(ii) To deal with reports of thefts in all major and minor institutions when the value of property lost does not exceed Rs. 200, reports of thefts in scheduled institutions, irrespective of value, being however, submitted to Government for orders.

(iii) To transfer inam and cash grants of defunct institutions to other deserving institutions strictly in accordance with rules when the annual income of the defunct institutions does not exceed Rs. 100, provided that the total income of the benefited institution with the added income does not exceed Rs. 100.

(iv) To sanction reappropriation of departmental grants (both major and minor heads) up to a limit of Rs. 500.

(v) To accord sanction to the proposal of Deputy Commissioners for the construction of new places of worship when there is no objection from any quarter.

(vi) To sanction allotment of funds from the State and General Muzrai Fund Grant for repairs, etc, of institutions to the extent of Rs. 500, such sanction being limited to the allotment out of the total annual grant definitely placed at his disposal.

(vii) To appoint Dharmadarsis to Scheduled Institutions.

II. TO DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS OF DISTRICTS

1 To regulate scales of expenditure in temples on occasions of the visits of His Highness the Maharaja or on other special occasions out of the funds of the institution concerned

2 Power to accept Puduvat Endowments other than deposits coming under Charitable Endowments Rules in favour of Muzrai and non-Muzrai Institutions

3. To appoint Dharmadarsis to all Muzrai Institutions excepting scheduled institutions.

S. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
Financial Department.

To—The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore
The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller to Government of Mysore
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts
The other Heads of Departments.

Exd.—C. K.

W D 2188—GPB—625—15-5-33

1618

Muz 248-32-4

~~26th April~~ 9th May 1933.

The

Financial Department.

The Muzrai Commissioner im Mysore,

Bangalore.

With reference to Government Order No. 1618/Muz 248-32-4 Dated 26th April 1933, investing the Muzrai Commissioner with the power among others to appoint Dharmadarsis in Scheduled Muzrai Institutions and the Deputy Commissioners with similar power in the case of all other Muzrai Institutions, I am directed to state that Rule 6 of the rules under the Mysore Religious and Charitable Institutions Regulation No.VII of 1927 requires to be modified and to request you to be so good as to send up proposals together with draft modifications in respect of the said rule.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for Financial Secretary to Government.

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SUBJECT .....

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Section Mis

File No. 248-?

Serial No. 4

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

No. 1618

To

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Sir

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With reference to

Date of issue 9/5/33

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Signed by B. Bradbury Krishnappa

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with the powers to appoint Dharmadarsi

to Scheduled Murzai Institutions

and the Deputy Commrs ~~have been in~~

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of all other Murzai Institutions, I am

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List of enclosures .....

Rule 6 of the rules under the Mysore

Religious and Charitable Institutions

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and

Examined by .....

~~above report order I am~~ to request you

to be so good as to ~~forward~~ send the proposals

WD 71—GBPM—40,000—20-7-31

~~Assessments~~ to the Govt for Consideration and orders of Govt.

I have etc.

14/4/33 File. Secy. to Govt.